

number is 202-457-0500. The seating capacity of the room is approximately 60 people, and seating will be on a first-come basis. Supporting materials are available for viewing at Docket # F-96-INHA-FFFFF in the RCRA Information Center (RIC), located at Crystal Gateway One, 1235 Jefferson Davis Highway, First Floor, Arlington, VA. The RIC is open from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding federal holidays. To review docket materials, the public must make an appointment by calling (703) 603-9230. The public may copy a maximum of 100 pages from any regulatory docket at no charge. Additional copies cost \$.15/page. For general information, contact the RCRA Hotline at 1-800-424-9346 or TDD 1-800-553-7672 (hearing impaired). In the Washington metropolitan area, call 703-412-9610 or TDD 703-412-3323.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Persons needing further information on the committee should contact Paul Cassidy, Municipal and Industrial Solid Waste Division, Office of Solid Waste, at (703) 308-7281.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

EPA and ASTSWMO have formed a State/EPA Steering Committee to jointly develop voluntary facility guidance for the management of industrial nonhazardous waste in land-based disposal units. The purpose of the guidance document is to provide a guide to facility managers so that they can provide safe industrial waste management. The guidance document will address such topics as appropriate controls for ground-water protection, liner designs, air emissions, run-on/run-off, public participation, daily operating practices, monitoring and corrective action, and closure and post-closure considerations.

The State/EPA Steering Committee has convened this Stakeholders Focus Group to obtain recommendations from individuals who are members of a broad spectrum of public interest groups and affected industries. All recommendations from Focus Group participants will be forwarded to the State/EPA Steering Committee for consideration, as the Stakeholders' Focus Group will not strive for consensus. The State/EPA Steering Committee will also provide an opportunity for public comment on the draft guidance document.

Copies of the minutes of all Stakeholder Focus Group meetings will be made available through the docket at the RCRA Information Center, including

minutes of the first three Focus Group meeting, which were held on April 11-12, 1996, September 11-12, 1996 and February 19-20, 1997.

Dated: April 21, 1997.

Elizabeth Cotsworth,

Acting Director, Office of Solid Waste.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Microbial and Disinfectants/Disinfection Byproducts Advisory Committee: Notice of Open Meeting

Under Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. 2, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Microbial and Disinfectants/Disinfection Byproducts (MD/DBP) Advisory Committee will be held on May 15, 1997 from 9:00 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. and on May 16, 1997, from 9:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. at the office of Resolve Inc., located at 1255 23rd St., NW., Suite 275, Washington, DC. The Committee was established earlier this year (on February 21, 1997, at 62 FR 8012) to assist the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in the development of regulations, guidance and policies to address microorganisms and disinfectants/disinfection byproducts in drinking water.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss issues related to the development of an Interim Enhanced Surface Water Treatment Rule (IESWTR) and a Stage 1 Disinfectants/Disinfection Byproducts (D/DBP) rule. The agenda for the meeting will include discussion of information and data related to microbial and disinfection byproducts issues developed by the Committee's technical working group. The agenda will also include discussion and evaluation of options to be considered for inclusion in EPA's Notice of Data Availability for the IESWTR and Stage 1 D/DBP rule, with particular focus on turbidity; pre-disinfection and a microbial backstop and a physical removal credit for cryptosporidium for conventional treatment. In addition the Committee may have further discussion on Maximum Contaminant Levels and enhanced coagulation. It may also begin consideration of other issues, including but not limited to recycling of filter backwash (including filter-to-waste and other options); sanitary surveys; and watershed controls.

EPA regrets that it is unable to publish this notice 15 days prior to the

meeting of the MD/DBP Advisory Committee held on May 15 and 16, due in part to scheduling conflicts. The Agency decided that it is in the public interest to obtain the advice of the committee on matters at this meeting, even if there was not sufficient time for the customary 15 day public notice.

The meeting will be open to the public. Members of the public may attend the meeting, make oral statements at the meeting to the extent time permits and/or file written statements with the Committee for its consideration on the following dates: June 3 and 4, 1997; and July 15, 1997. EPA has also scheduled for May 19 and 20 a stakeholder general informational meeting to review and provide information on MD/DBP related research. This will be held at the Sheraton City Center Hotel, 1143 New Hampshire Ave., Northwest Washington DC 20037. The public is invited to attend and provide written or oral comment.

Members of the public who would like more information or who would like to present an oral statement or submit a written statement are requested to contact the Committee's Designated Federal Officer, Steve Potts, at the Office of Ground Water and Drinking Water, U.S. EPA, mail Code 4607, 401 M Street, SW., Washington, DC 20460. Mr. Potts may also be reached by telephone at (202) 260-5015 or contacted by e-mail at Potts.Steve@EPAMAIL.EPA.GOV.

Dated: May 1, 1997.

William R. Diamond,

Acting Director, Office of Ground Water and Drinking Water.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Notice of Proposed Administrative Order on Consent Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice; request for public comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with Section 122(i) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, as amended ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9622(i), notice is hereby given of a proposed administrative order on